

## Webinar Agenda Increasing the Diversity of the Educator Workforce: A Data-driven Approach for Districts

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May 18, 2021: 1:30–3:00

- 1:30     **Welcome and introductions**  
Dr. Sarah Barzee, Alliance Co-Lead, REL Northeast & Islands
- 1:35     **Background and context**  
Dr. Meg Caven, Senior Research Associate, REL Northeast & Islands  
Dr. Saroja Warner, Teacher Development and Diversity Director, WestEd
- 1:45     **Connecticut's effort to increase diversity in the educator workforce**  
Dr. Shuana Tucker, Chief Talent Officer, Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE)
- 1:50     **Coaching districts to improve educator workforce diversity**  
Dr. Saroja Warner  
Dr. Meg Caven
- 2:10     **Q&A**  
Dr. Sarah Barzee
- 2:20     **Panel discussion**  
Dr. Regina Hopkins, Education Consultant, CSDE  
Practitioner panel
- 2:45     **Q&A with panelists**  
Dr. Regina Hopkins
- 2:55     **Wrap-up and evaluation**  
Dr. Sarah Barzee